## TORRANCE

Press Release
Police Department

Residential Cat Burglary
DR# 130040595
July 17, 2013

Torrance Police Detectives are looking for a subject wanted in connection with a residential cat burglary that occurred in the 1300 block of Beech Avenue in the City of Torrance.

On July 7, 2013 at approximately 1:15 am, a 70-year-old victim was asleep inside his residence and when he awoke, he noticed an interior light had been turned on and that personal property of his had been stacked and was on the floor in the hallway.



The victim observed a male subject standing inside his residence carrying a baseball bat that belonged to the victim. A struggle for the bat ensued and after the victim was able to wrestle it out of the suspect's hands, the suspect fled out the front door and began running eastbound on Beech Avenue.

The lone suspect is described as possibly a teenager, 5-08, with short brown hair, clean shaven and last seen wearing a teal-colored shirt and shorts. See composite.

This case is being investigated under the command and direction of Captain Bernard Anderson of the Special Operations Bureau. Anyone with additional information about this incident is encouraged to contact the Torrance Police Department, Detective Eric Applegate at (310) 618-5581.

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